A

TABULAR STATEMENT

RELATING TO

TAX ON REAL & PERSONAL ESTATE,

FOR STATE PURPOSES,

AND TO

APPROPRIATIONS TO COMMON SCHOOLS;

AS APPLIED TO THE SEVERAL COUNTIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

COMMUNICATED BY THE AUDITOR GENERAL.

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AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Harrisburg, January 29, 1845.

HON. WILLIAM P. WILCOX,
Speaker of the Senate:

SIR :—I have the honor herewith to transmit, in pursuance of the resolutions of the Senate of the 16th and 22d instant, a tabular statement, showing the amount of tax assessed on real and personal property, in the several counties, for the use of the commonwealth, in the years 1841, 1842, 1843 and 1844, the amount received from that source at the State Treasury during the same period, the amount outstanding, and the sum appropriated to each county during those years for common school purposes.

I am, with great respect,
Your ob't servant,
WM. F. PACKER,
Auditor General.

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A TABULAR STATEMENT,

SHOWING, for the several counties of the Commonwealth, the assessed valuation of all property, trades, professions, &c., made taxable for State purposes; the amount of tax assessed; the amount of the same received at the State Treasury; the amount outstanding; together with the amount of appropriations to Common Schools, for the several years therein named, commencing January 1, 1841, and ending December 31, 1844:

Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Adams, - -	1841,		$5,932 92	$3,354 93		$5,222 00
	1842,	$4,796,836	6,011 28	4,797 99		5,222 00
	1843,		8,657 08	1,898 38		5,196 00
	1844,		9,604 62	6,551 96		5,196 00
			$30,205 90	$16,603 26	$13,602 64	$20,836 00
Allegheny, -	1841,		$19,153 86	$10,590 14		$16,165 00
	1842,		18,682 46	15,409 37		16,165 00
	1843,		*32,000 00	18,494 43		17,546 00
	1844,	$15,910,504	32,157 75	38,886 77		17,546 00
			$101,994 07	$83,380 71	$18,613 36	$67,422 00
Armstrong, -	1841,		$1,598 22			$5,471 00
	1842,		2,308 83			3,825 00
	1843,		3,373 17	$899 05		4,226 00
	1844,	$1,633,743	5,072 80	2,404 03		4,226 00
			$12,353 02	$3,303 08	$9,049 94	$17,748 00
Beaver, - -	1841,		$5,367 41	$2,376 41		$5,996 00
	1842,		5,319 33	3,390 56		5,996 00
	1843,		9,760 78	7,249 57		6,650 00
	1844,	$4,633,743	9,773 79	9,790 55		6,650 00
			$30,221 31	$22,807 09	$7,414 22	$25,292 00
Bedford, - -	1841,		$2,376 05			$6,119 00
	1842,	$3,280,982	4,152 58	$2,960 85		6,119 00
	1843,		7,480 73	5,905 97		6,738 00
	1844,		*7,400 00	1,691 07		6,738 00
			$21,409 36	$10,557 89	$10,851 47	$25,714 00
Berks, - -	1841,		$21,737 92	$9,772 09		$12,731 00
	1842,		25,806 53	14,274 82		12,731 00
	1843,		45,937 45	20,294 65		14,206 00
	1844,	$19,386,001	41,195 66	46,132 12		14,206 00
			$134,677 56	$90,473 68	$44,203 88	$53,874 00
Bradford, - -	1841,		$2,469 91	$214 03		$5,579 00
	1842,	$3,793,957	4,646 30	1,932 38		5,579 00
	1843,		7,569 80	2,141 01		6,737 00
	1844,		6,182 11	11,443 89		6,737 00
			$20,868 12	$15,731 31	$5,136 81	$24,632 00

TABULAR STATEMENT—*Continued.*

Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Bucks, - -	1841,		$17,079 98	$4,452 18		$10,298 00
	1842,		25,322 23	7,473 17		10,298 00
	1843,		42,508 30	19,489 16		11,602 00
	1844,	$12,467,165	33,601 82	32,572 07		11,602 00
			$118,512 33	$63,986 58	$54,525 75	$43,800 00
Butler, - -	1841,		$2,278 52	$482 27		$4,944 00
	1842,		2,842 32	300 00		4,944 00
	1843,	$2,557,909	5,343 00	2,278 32		5,633 00
	1844,		*5,300 00	2,578 91		5,633 00
			$15,763 84	$5,639 50	$10,124 34	$21,154 00
Cambria, - -	1841,		$676 30			$2,334 00
	1842,	$752,316	1,063 39	$306 00		2,334 00
	1843,		1,794 01	1,118 84		2,653 00
	1844,		*1,800 00	571 42		2,653 00
			$5,333 70	$1,996 26	$3,337 44	$9,974 00
Carbon, - -	1843,	$1,292,885	$2,844 75			
	1844,		*3,000 00			$1,947 00
			$5,844 75		$5,844 75	$1,947 00
Centre, - -	1841,		$3,795 95	$1,917 12		$4,457 00
	1842,		6,291 87	2,804 11		4,457 00
	1843,		11,635 22	2,040 49		4,761 00
	1844,	$5,265,870	10,847 02	6,199 57		4,761 00
			$32,570 06	$12,961 29	$19,608 77	$18,436 00
Chester, - -	1841,		$22,388 95	$10,391 39		$12,662 00
	1842,		25,861 52	13,107 36		12,662 00
	1843,		45,949 83	23,765 97		12,794 00
	1844,	$19,180,786	42,951 40	33,219 15		12,794 00
			$137,151 70	$80,483 87	$56,667 83	$50,912 00
Clarion, - -	1841,		$1,321 63	$477 49		
	1842,		1,526 46	471 48		$2,596 00
	1843,		2,753 57	486 35		3,418 00
	1844,	$1,332,939	2,621 38	3,338 90		3,418 00
			$8,223 04	$4,774 22	$3,448 82	$9,432 00
Clearfield, -	1841,		$1,186 63			$1,728 00
	1842,		1,251 96	$481 10		1,728 00
	1843,	$683,881	1,379 25	40 00		2,177 00
	1844,		1,719 85	1,044 12		2,177 00
			$5,537 69	$1,565 22	$3,972 47	$7,810 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Clinton, - -	1841,		$1,469 66	$156 47		$1,663 00
	1842,		1,848 14	1,017 00		1,663 00
	1843,	$1,676,657	3,240 24	952 00		1,923 00
	1844,		3,296 74	2,422 89		1,923 00
			$9,854 78	$4,548 36	$5,306 42	$7,172 00
Columbia, -	1841,		$4,397 13	$743 36		$4,621 00
	1842,		6,264 22	3,228 17		4,621 00
	1843,		9,541 28	2,320 86		5,582 00
	1844,	$4,268,595	9,295 06	6,321 55		5,582 00
			$29,497 69	$12,613 94	$16,883 75	$20,406 00
Crawford, - -	1841,		$2,750 96			$5,883 00
	1842,		3,005 13	$2,205 80		5,883 00
	1843,	$2,820,066	5,889 24	1,068 00		7,249 00
	1844,		*5,800 00	5,093 57		7,249 00
			$17,445 33	$8,367 37	$9,077 96	$26,264 00
Cumberland, -	1841,		$10,244 22	$7,164 64		$6,769 00
	1842,		14,568 92	6,212 60		6,769 00
	1843,		19,475 70	7,551 15		7,033 00
	1844,	$8,541,180	18,337 05	12,848 37		7,033 00
			$62,625 89	$33,776 76	$28,849 13	$27,604 00
Dauphin, - -	1841,		$8,153 70	$5,088 88		$6,262 00
	1842,		12,943 33	8,875 37		6,262 00
	1843,		15,532 67	12,123 75		6,245 00
	1844,	$7,881,816	15,868 34	12,004 48		6,245 00
			$52,498 04	$38,092 48	$14,405 56	$25,014 00
Delaware, -	1841,		$7,032 25	$6,936 03		$4,057 00
	1842,		10,180 20	7,558 37		4,057 00
	1843,	$7,497,466	15,247 01	15,744 39		4,332 00
	1844,		16,259 83	14,820 63		4,332 00
			$48,719 29	$45,059 42	$3,659 87	$16,778 00
Erie, - - -	1841,		$3,065 78	$1,501 93		$6,334 00
	1842,		4,421 60	156 56		6,334 00
	1843,		7,778 57	4,659 62		7,336 00
	1844,	$3,810,408	8,220 50	2,077 69		7,336 00
			$23,486 45	$8,395 80	$15,090 65	$27,340 00
Fayette, - -	1841,		$5,190 19	$300 00		$6,461 00
	1842,		6,097 40	7,850 13		6,461 00
	1843,		9,703 04	2,920 11		6,857 00
	1844,	$4,800,835	9,611 55	7,979 99		6,857 00
			$30,602 18	$19,050 23	$11,551 95	$26,636 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Franklin, - -	1841,		$8,684 29	$1,662 52		$7,481 00
	1842,		14,018 24	10,491 73		7,481 00
	1843,		24,175 48	5,684 50		8,726 00
	1844,	$12,041,832	27,265 28	19,053 15		8,726 00
			$74,143 29	$36,891 90	$37,251 39	$32,414 00
Greene, - -	1841,		$2,201 79			$3,791 00
	1842,		2,747 67	$2,172 07		3,791 00
	1843,		4,721 04	2,169 19		4,168 00
	1844,	$2,074,283	4,121 44	4,456 61		4,168 00
			$13,791 94	$8,797 87	$4,994 07	$15,918 00
Huntingdon, -	1841,		$7,097 35	$2,288 42		$7,330 00
	1842,	$9,447,597	11,425 08	3,368 68		7,330 00
	1843,		19,186 15	5,908 96		8,482 00
	1844,		17,457 11	9,423 38		8,482 00
			$55,165 69	$20,989 44	$34,176 25	$31,624 00
Indiana, - -	1841,		$2,136 50	$932 87		$4,142 00
	1842,		2,499 69	1,527 95		4,142 00
	1843,		5,380 37	1,307 85		4,647 00
	1844,	$2,331,249	4,842 28	4,092 78		4,647 00
			$14,858 84	$7,861 45	$6,997 39	$17,578 00
Jefferson, - -	1841,		$1,173 74	$84 40		$1,313 00
	1842,	$1,003,399	1,075 16	803 00		1,313 00
	1843,		1,661 33	443 73		1,706 00
	1844,		*1,600 00	742 04		1,706 00
			$5,510 23	$2,073 17	$3,437 06	$6,038 00
Juniata, - -	1841,		$1,776 95			$2,504 00
	1842,		3,136 02	$852 36		2,504 00
	1843,		5,707 84	1,335 09		2,707 00
	1844,	$2,353,256	5,244 96	3,683 02		2,707 00
			$15,865 77	$5,870 47	$9,995 30	$10,422 00
Lancaster, -	1841,		$33,686 07	$20,395 19		$18,497 00
	1842,		46,757 47	41,079 96		18,497 00
	1843,		56,999 10	40,053 74		18,836 00
	1844,	$21,759,930	53,828 85	47,819 99		18,836 00
			$191,271 49	$149,348 88	$41,922 61	$74,666 00
Lebanon, - -	1841,		$6,443 74	$1,779 00		$4,971 00
	1842,		12,088 26	5,131 20		4,971 00
	1843,		18,202 61	5,429 73		4,833 00
	1844,	$8,734,890	16,372 54	8,653 66		4,833 00
			$53,107 15	$20,993 59	$32,113 56	$19,608 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Lehigh, - -	1841,		$7,047 34	$3,500 00		$6,363 00
	1842,	$11,819,445	14,198 13	7,676 60		6,363 00
	1843,		23,635 51	21,607 48		6,315 00
	1844,		16,864 55	10,160 93		6,315 00
			$61,745 53	$42,945 01	$18,800 52	$25,356 00
Luzerne, - -	1841,		$3,166 66			$7,518 00
	1842,		8,722 76	$1,359 95		7,518 00
	1843,	$4,017,247	9,913 71	1,296 38		7,473 00
	1844,		*9,900 00	7,077 87		7,473 00
			$31,703 13	$9,734 20	$21,968 93	$29,982 00
Lycoming, -	1841,		$2,640 41	$573 82		$4,349 00
	1842,		6,888 56	2,009 50		4,349 00
	1843,		9,967 22	1,716 68		5,273 00
	1844,	$3,236,805	9,148 86	2,302 39		5,273 00
			$28,645 05	$6,602 39	$22,042 66	$19,244 00
M'Kean, - -	1841,		$631 76			$620 00
	1842,		535 56	$385 07		620 00
	1843,		1,037 51			807 00
	1844,	$518,758	*1,000 00	1,115 00		807 00
			$3,204 83	$1,500 07	$1,704 76	$2,854 00
Mercer, - -	1841,		$3,618 19	$1,484 64		$6,495 00
	1842,		4,401 06	2,629 39		6,495 00
	1843,		8,107 55	1,957 92		7,154 00
	1844,	$3,736,628	8,866 00	8,183 57		7,154 00
			$24,992 80	$14,255 52	$10,737 28	$27,298 00
Mifflin, - -	1841,		$3,328 33			$3,039 00
	1842,		5,105 46	$715 00		3,039 00
	1843,		8,625 08	1,483 55		3,212 00
	1844,	$2,821,830	8,311 77	2,554 00		3,212 00
			$25,370 64	$4,752 55	$20,618 09	$12,502 00
Monroe, - -	1841,		$1,546 19	$63 73		$2,023 00
	1842,		2,084 07	336 39		2,023 00
	1843,		3,491 86	2,215 32		2,345 00
	1844,	$1,679,961	3,003 37	1,303 60		2,219 00
			$10,125 49	$3,919 04	$6,206 45	$8,610 00
Montgomery,	1841,		$15,185 02	$2,487 35		$10,140 00
	1842,		29,030 93	10,067 60		10,140 00
	1843,		42,567 61	34,604 08		12,596 00
	1844,	$15,299,588	36,251 31	22,858 71		12,596 00
			$123,034 87	$70,017 74	$53,017 13	$45,472 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Northampton,	1841,		$11,972 10	$6,138 98		$7,934 00
	1842,		17,728 23	2,706 67		7,934 00
	1843,		27,234 65	19,515 39		9,100 00
	1844,	$13,234,211	27,050 87	13,940 35		7,274 00
			$83,985 85	$42,301 39	$41,684 46	$32,242 00
Northumberland,	1841,		$3,854 22	$2,099 33		$3,933 00
	1842,		7,083 29	3,056 18		3,933 00
	1843,		11,158 24	3,214 61		4,489 00
	1844,	$4,100,158	12,439 40	2,291 77		4,489 00
			$34,535 15	$10,661 89	$23,873 26	$16,844 00
Perry, - - -	1841,		$3,625 67	$346 30		$3,629 00
	1842,	$3,266,780	3,778 57	1,023 23		3,629 00
	1843,		6,990 63	2,740 68		3,979 00
	1844,		*7,000 00	4,994 46		3,979 00
			$21,394 87	$9,104 67	$12,290 20	$15,216 00
Philadelphia,	1841,		$210,603 12	$87,971 56		$49,283 00
	1842,		221,754 29	161,135 01		49,283 00
	1843,		285,691 01	207,613 64		57,764 00
	1844,	$119,101,037	275,617 29	272,350 98		57,764 00
			$993,665 71	$729,071 19	$264,594 52	$214,094 00
Pike, - - -	1841,		$505 67			$723 00
	1842,		899 83	$454 90		723 00
	1843,	$847,515	1,587 81	20 25		925 00
	1844,		1,559 74	501 09		925 00
			$4,553 05	$976 24	$3,576 81	$3,296 00
Potter, - -	1841,		$640 44	$130 00		$614 00
	1842,		650 07	475 50		614 00
	1843,	$725,918	726 26	133 74		845 00
	1844,		*750 00	737 89		845 00
			$2,766 77	$1,477 13	$1,289 64	$2,918 00
Schuylkill, -	1841,		$5,757 83	$1,753 44		$6,005 00
	1842,		8,015 00	4,043 74		6,005 00
	1843,		14,520 05	6,590 10		7,223 00
	1844,	$6,690,699	14,056 69	12,085 76		7,223 00
			$42,349 57	$24,473 04	$17,876 53	$26,456 00
Somerset, - -	1841,		$1,526 51	$536 49		$3,748 00
	1842,		3,138 00	694 39		3,748 00
	1843,	$2,680,366	5,587 96	2,303 39		4,296 00
	1844,		*5,500 00	4,333 46		4,296 00
			$15,752 47	$7,867 73	$7,884 74	$16,088 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Susquehanna,	1841,		$1,441 32	$20 00		$3,955 00
	1842,	$2,658,813	1,813 79	923 33		3,955 00
	1843,		5,015 85	2,471 79		4,947 00
	1844,		*5,000 00	1,929 72		4,947 00
			$13,270 96	$5,344 84	$7,926 12	$17,804 00
Tioga, - - -	1841,		$1,166 03			$3,063 00
	1842,		1,076 08	$119 50		3,063 00
	1843,		2,179 81	1,682 67		3,782 00
	1844,	$1,485,265	*2,100 00	3,493 18		3,782 00
			$6,521 92	$5,295 35	$1,226 57	$13,690 00
Union, - -	1841,		$3,831 83			$4,559 00
	1842,		8,790 71	$1,606 26		4,559 00
	1843,		14,166 63	4,575 78		4,968 00
	1844,	$6,059,567	13,007 39			4,968 00
			$39,796 56	$6,182 04	$33,614 52	$19,054 00
Venango, - -	1841,		$1,175 13	$33 25		$3,623 00
	1842,		1,459 03	893 53		2,679 00
	1843,		2,540 93	868 05		3,226 00
	1844,	$1,111,910	2,222 00	1,513 72		3,226 00
			$7,397 09	$3,308 55	$4,088 54	$12,754 00
Warren, - -	1841,		$962 24			$1,834 00
	1842,		1,028 72	$703 87		1,834 00
	1843,		1,900 25	1,049 35		2,250 00
	1844,	$929,617	2,139 71	1,514 44		2,250 00
			$6,030 92	$3,267 66	$2,763 26	$8,168 00
Washington, -	1841,		$8,585 45	$3,271 97		$8,830 00
	1842,		9,720 40	8,495 75		8,830 00
	1843,		16,037 25	7,699 19		9,204 00
	1844,	$7,524,434	16,363 09	15,891 57		9,204 00
			$50,706 19	$35,358 48	$15,347 71	$36,068 00
Wayne, - -	1841,		$1,095 63	$205 56		$2,195 00
	1842,		1,428 29	1,027 04		2,195 00
	1843,	$1,238,425	2,565 54	1,154 47		2,700 00
	1844,		*2,500 00	354 00		2,700 00
			$7,589 46	$2,741 07	$4,848 39	$9,790 00
Westmoreland,	1841,		$5,553 76	$2,337 24		$8,630 00
	1842,		7,031 60	2,587 11		8,630 00
	1843,		12,762 59	7,678 15		9,286 00
	1844,	$5,635,687	11,523 27	4,503 12		9,286 00
			$36,871 22	$17,105 62	$19,765 60	$35,832 00

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Counties.	Years	Valuation.	Tax Assessed.	Tax Received.	Tax Outstanding.	School Appropriations.
Wyoming, -	1843,		$1,935 42			$1,741 00
	1844,		*2,000 00	$1,631 94		1,741 00
			$3,935 42	$1,631 94	$2,303 48	$3,482 00
York, - - -	1841,		$10,870 72	$6,081 62		$11,448 00
	1842,		12,549 10	8,896 25		11,448 00
	1843,		20,831 27	15,500 38		12,253 00
	1844,	$9,649,839	21,230 56	16,566 81		12,253 00
			$65,481 65	$47,045 06	$18,436 59	$47,402 00
			RECAPITULATION.			
	1841,		$523,200 14	$212,097 04		$350,338 00
	1842,		663,075 12	394,261 90		350,344 00
	1843,		992,206 81	565,467 90		393,152 00
	1844,		946,055 60	772,108 66		393,147 00
Total, - -		$428,083,479	$3,124,537 67	$1,943.935 50	$1,180,602 17	$1,486,981 00

In the foregoing table, wherever an asterisk occurs, thus, (*) it signifies that the amount to which it is prefixed is estimated—no returns for that year having been received from the county. The estimate, however, in such case, is based upon returns for the preceding year, and will be found so near to the real sum, as to serve for all practical purposes.

The tax outstanding exhibits the gross amount, and is subject to exonerations and commissions to collectors and county treasurers, for four years. It was found impossible, from the imperfect reports of county auditors, to show the net amount of this item; but from the best data which at this time can be collected, it would seem that about 8 per centum of the amount of tax assessed, is a fair average of the allowances to be made for its collection. Assuming this to be correct, the net amount outstanding on the 1st day of January, 1845, was $930,639 16, embracing of course the balance unpaid of the assessment for the year 1844.

From the 1st to the 25th inst., both inclusive, there have been received at the State Treasury, on account of state tax, the following sums from the counties to which they are set opposite, reducing the outstanding tax, on the 25th January, 1845, to the net amount of $744,841 89, viz:

Adams, - - - - - - - -	$10,086 05
Allegheny, - - - - - - - -	9,115 24
Armstrong, - - - - - - -	689 06
Beaver, - - - - - - - -	948 31
Bedford, - - - - - - - -	437 40
Bucks, - - - - - - - -	15,624 68
Butler, - - - - - - - -	2,094 63
Carbon, - - - - - - - -	2,272 96
Chester, - - - - - - - -	11,933 09
Clarion, - - - - - - - -	397 62
Columbia, - - - - - - - -	619 64
Crawford, - - - - - - - -	3,648 62
Cumberland, - - - - - - -	5,000 00
Dauphin, - - - - - - - -	1,331 88
Erie, - - - - - - - -	2,827 84
Fayette, - - - - - - - -	3,678 56
Greene, - - - - - - - -	3,650 84
Franklin, - - - - - - - -	4,496 19
Amount carried forward, - - - -	$78,852 61

Amount brought forward,	$78,852 61	
Jefferson,	355 85	
Juniata,	235 87	
Lancaster,	8,594 70	
Lebanon,	7,641 93	
Lehigh,	12,147 30	
Luzerne,	1,890 97	
Lycoming,	1,494 97	
Mifflin,	4,024 43	
Montgomery,	7,452 00	
Northumberland,	11,546 41	
Philadelphia,	21,314 84	
Potter,	93 00	
Schuylkill,	5,166 71	
Somerset,	860 00	
Susquehanna,	3,002 42	
Tioga,	712 81	
Union,	10,122 46	
Venango,	748 80	
Warren,	681 70	
Washington,	3,054 73	
Wayne,	1,341 24	
Westmoreland,	4,421 52	
Wyoming,	40 00	
		$185,797 27

Of the amount of tax received at the State Treasury, to the 25th inst., the sum of $381,117 97 is from the assessment for the year 1844.

Respectfully submitted.

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AUDITOR GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Harrisburg, Jan. 29, 1845.